

IN THE FEMININE REALM

One Woman Offers Some Good Advice to Another About Keeping Boarders.

The Most Limited Social Life Involves Many Extra Expenses—Suggestions for the Thanksgiving Table—Odds and Ends.

She wanted to start a boarding-house; she had the house and the furniture, and she wanted to know if I could give her any suggestions as to how to make money. Unlike the angels, I rushed in and said what I thought. Said I: "Begin by thinking that the people who board with you are human beings and not merely boarders. Begin by asking a high price, and then giving people the worth of their money. Train your servants to obey your orders as implicitly as if you were a ward politician, and if one of them says she don't care to do Mrs. Dab's books, don't discuss the matter with her, but tell her that you don't care to pay her wages any longer and she can depart. The cry of the boarding-house-keeper is that there are no good servants to be gotten. This is not true. It is merely a question of paying for them and looking out for their references. Of course, if you take in the sum of the intelligence office, you may expect bad service, dishonesty and drunkenness, and you will not be disappointed. Then give your boarders what you promise them. If your contract calls for a warm room and alcohol table, see that it is furnished, and don't believe that by sitting in the parlor and looking handsomely you are going to make your house a success. There is nothing unladylike in going into one's kitchen, and why the average boarding-house-keeper thinks there is passes my comprehension. Go into your kitchen and see that your own cooking is done as it should be, and then you will get an idea where your money goes. Servants are not apt to be dishonest when they realize that the master is liable to drop in at any minute. Discharge the first servant that comes to you with gossip. As long as a servant is in the house, pay their bills and treat them properly; their private affairs don't concern you. You have hired your servants to work, not to entertain you or the boarders. You cannot understand why, but as soon as a woman in a boarding-house tries to make her room look a little homelike, the dust accumulates at the rate of an inch a day. In my own personal experience I have been told that it is the first, or the dust from the windows. I now know it to be due entirely to the laziness of servants, for in an equally busy neighborhood, with a greater number of boarders, the dust does not grow, as it is ruthlessly disturbed by a feather brush every morning. Servants are very much like children—they do as well as long as they know somebody is looking at them, but the minute they are left to their own devices they will do the head of your own establishment and let every servant distinctly understand that her going or staying is a matter of indifference to you, for there are always good fish in the servant market, and the bait to catch them is the dollar.

"Now, I am going to say something to you about your table. Of course, I am presupposing that you are taking boarders. It may seem a little more expensive first to have everything of the best, but it pays in the end, for your people do not drift away, and more are drawn to you. If you are just as easy to make good as it is bad, come, and quite as easy to offer a variety, instead of alternating with roast beef and turkey all the week. It only requires a little thought about this, and a little thought about something else, for you not only to make a success, but to make money. Most women have an idea that the way to keep a boarding-house is first to get a house, and then to fill it with people, more or less unhappy, and then, by a series of nagging and bad food, to get them to that extreme of unhappiness when nothing makes any difference. This is a sort of boomerang policy. Some day the worms will turn and depart, and then they will spread the reputation of the house so far that nobody will want to go to it. You can't keep a first-class boarding-house and devote all your energies to doing artistic needlework. To earn your living in this world you have got to work. You can't play, and if you want to earn a good living you have got to work hard."

Needful Frigidities.
When women are forced to practice economy they can keep their expenses for clothing within almost any limit that can be named, but in doing so they necessarily limit their social privileges to a corresponding degree. For if a woman, and especially a young woman, participates in and enjoys social life and gayeties, many articles of dress are essential that she may at home can dispense with. It is doubtful whether the period is one of increasing luxury and possibly extravagance; certainly girls require many more things than their mothers ever had or dreamed of, but individual girls cannot afford to do this. The girl of the age if fault there be. A writer in the Philadelphia Times, touching upon the needs of women in the way of dress, says: "The cost of actual necessities for a woman would supply a man with luxuries. It is not her fault, but her misfortune in belonging to a sex that is compelled to wear fine fripperies costing such outrageously large sums, that has called upon her for the enormous expenditure of undue extravagance."

"What! Another dress?" said a man lately when called upon to supply one of his daughters with the useful sum with which to purchase a plain little affair that to masculine eyes seemed not commensurate with the price to be paid for it. "Why you have had three new ones this winter already. No, I won't get it; you are entirely too extravagant," he said, and he held his resolution, though the pleader shed "barrels of tears," as she expressed it. Now, what may we say to this? The right answer to a woman quite the reverse. Four suits for a man and four gowns for a woman are entirely out of proportion.

The evening coat that the society youth don might as well look like a white correct and elegant if his line of dress is just that of a girl trying the experiment of wearing one gown to the theater, to concerts, receptions and balls, and see to it that the very men who now raise their hands in holy horror over such terrible extravagance would rather take out on the street one who has several pretty costumes with which to vary the monotony.

With street clothes it is just the same; one costume wiping up the dust, and becoming shabby, and unless there is another one to replace it for home wear it will soon look absolutely horrible. Tea gowns, or if they sound too much like luxuries, wrappers—show, hoary, lingerie, hats, jackets and parasols—all must be had, and even though a girl can afford but one example of each branch of her wardrobe, it is safe to say that a misbegotten man, when she appeals for money with which to replace the worn-out article, would exclaim: "Why, that's the most really you are too extravagant!" But let us whisper there are certain bills for cigars and other masculine pleasures that would pay for many sensible little shoes, gloves or hats, but which the masculine mind never considers in the light of an extravagance on the part of a girl.

your arms, "serrings" and he won't do it again. And so fellow will offer to kiss you unless you give him some encouragement. Let me tell you again, you don't need to do anything about this matter. You can laugh and chat and be just as pretty and jolly as you can. And if you will follow this "unobtainable and unobtainable" course, you can do almost anything else that a lively girl would want to do, and with perfect safety. If you will first, you can flirt to the verge of boldness; you can go anywhere and say almost anything, and will be afraid to meet anybody next day. You can drop your beautiful lashes, and smile your most beautiful smile, and show your beautiful arms, and make yourself just as sweet and attractive as possible. Only keep out of reach of the touch of the fellow's fingers. If you are a sole mistress of yourself, you are queen regnant of the world."

Thanksgiving Decorations.
New York Tribune.
A few suggestions, both in regard to the dinner and decorations, may help our housekeeper, just at this time. It is not at all necessary to have expensive hot-house flowers to make a really beautiful arrangement for a "Thanksgiving" table. Nothing is more decorative than the fruits of the earth if cleverly arranged, and they are particularly appropriate at such a time. What flowers there are should be in keeping with the season; the late chrysanthemums are particularly adapted to this autumn feast, and ruddy carrot-top, copper beeches and flame-colored carnations are all very effective. A centerpiece on the table, a beautiful group may be made with golden ears of corn, tomatoes, grapes, nuts—products of nature of all sorts. Any arrangement of what is each plate tied with colored ribbon makes a pretty resting place for the card indicating the significance of the feast. An effective way of decorating the room is to cover the window sill with moss, and to stand a garland of scarlet flowers, or berries, or clusters of grapes. Finally, as a general principle to be observed in Thanksgiving decorations, whether in church or in the house, should be large, ample, not costly in material, but should give the idea of abundance and plenty—the generous gifts of nature in all their luxuries.

Fashion and Fact.
The very weakest thing a woman can do is to let the salesman, who knows or cares nothing of the result of her purchases, influence her into buying a dress pattern half against her own common sense and better judgment, simply because she has been spending some time looking at the goods.

Mr. Chaney, president of Bates College, illustrates the progress of education by telling the story of how a man in 1865 on being asked how many students were attending the college, answered: "Twenty-three students and a nigger and a woman."

Take your black skirt and alter it, if it is soiled, brush thoroughly, and have it immersed in a deep (new) tin pan of gasoline, taking care not to burn anything near. It will take every accumulation of dirt from it, cleanse it, and brighten it. Press it immediately, and very lightly with a moderately hot iron on the wrong side, first laying a piece of thin silk over the lace.

The Ladies' Club in Sydney is the only club in the city which is not in debt. Their rooms are in a central and convenient locality, where tea, coffee or cocoa are served at any hour, and where the luncheon is enjoyed by the members and their friends, and where private reception-rooms are furnished to ladies who wish to entertain their friends. The club numbers nearly one hundred members.

A very handsome sofa-cover cover can be made by sewing a cord around the sofa, and leaving a sort of lion-hoof or basket canvas. The ground is then entirely covered with darning in three shades of color, and the stripes are cut into needles, and the shades used at random. The result will be a golden chine effect that is not likely to be outmoded solidly in light blue.

There is such a variety of modes from which to choose this season that a figure can select the style of dress which best accords with their requirements. There are the Empire and the bustle, the high-waisted, trim tailor-made coats in English fashion for stouter forms, princess models which are greatly admired for their slender effect, besides the coat with a long, low, waisted French bodice, which impart an attractive symmetry to the general appearance of the figure.

A small shoulder shawl is prettily made by knitting on rather large wooden needles two squares, one white, the other rose pink. The stitches in plain quarter stitch, as it is called, and when finished the two pieces are joined together and furnished with a border of double crochet in white wool.

There should be six or eight rows of this ladder-like stitch, and through the meshes of each row the narrowest piece of tape or ribbon should be run. In knitting the square the work must be done loosely to allow large enough meshes for the lining to show through.

This is also a pretty design for a baby's alghon, but for that use the pieces must be oblong rather than square, and a long border of white material, three inches wide can be added upon one corner.

The new Empire skirt consists of four breadths. A straight breadth, a yard wide, is placed at the waist and front; and a triangular-shaped breadth, a yard wide, at the bottom and graduated to a sharp point at the waist. The top is gathered on to a band and arranged to fall in front and at the back, though there is some fullness in the front and at the sides. This design is recommended for light materials, and must be gathered at the waist if they are not made over a foundation of silk.

It will no doubt be a popular model for cotton dresses next season when Empire styles in a modified form may be adopted in general dress. The design is seen in extreme change of fashion will be seen chiefly on full dress occasions.

A Plea for Our Grammar.
To the Editor of the Indianapolis Journal:
There are two little words which our Hoosier populace seem determined to eliminate from their vocabulary, viz: "To get." We hear quite commonly the expression "he wants up," or "he wants down," or "they want up," etc. Now, what is the meaning of this? It is the use of this harmless little phrase, "to get," it is hard to imagine. Possibly it might be that we, being a very busy people, have reached that point of over-occupation when we must save time in such small ways as that of dropping out certain words in ordinary speech, or perhaps it is consistent with the Hoosier dialect to omit such insignificant parts of a proposition as "to get," or "up," or "down," and some lastesters, by association, have eliminated these words from their alphabet. Hoosiers have resolved, as I have said, to strike out these two words from the English vocabulary. Whenever they may be the true one, even so correct a paper as the Journal occasionally lapses. For instance, in the issue of Nov. 13, it is announced with apparent care and good faith, that "the rascals want to get in." Of course, "the rascals want to get in," and I have no objection to that. But the proposition too strong, but we want it made, and not limited, in its application. Do not we Hoosiers well deserve to be made targets for the criticism of our Boston cousins if we will indulge in such careless forms of expression? Help us, O Journal, while we are in sackcloth over the triumph of our political foe to save the kind English and our own reputation as common grammarians. Axious as Republicans are to make the most of what is left, do not let us exalt the little address "to get" beyond its legitimate province by making it do the duty of a substantive. Neither "to get," nor "out," nor "up," nor "down" were ever meant to be used as objects of the verb "want," and the sooner we recognize that fact the better for us at home and for our good name abroad.

This use of the above-named adverbs is on a par with the use of the word "like" in such Hoosier expressions as this: "it looks like it was going to rain," or "I feel like I had taken cold," which form of expression Republicans ought to discard and even Prohibitionists ought to prohibit. It was once said by the hero of a losing battle, "Alas! I've saved honor." Admitting the fact of our great disaster can we not, having lost all, yet save our grammar?

CHAPTER ABOUT PEDDLERS

Men and Women Who Follow Modest and Obscure By-Paths of Commerce.

How the Apple-Vender is Hated, Pined, Then Embraced—Rites on the Installment Plan—French Candy and Bromo.

HERE are a great many different attitudes, longitudes, zones and parallels in the commercial field. The business of buying and selling assumes many levels. It is its dearest, in one instance, up to the plane of the King's elliptic, and in another lets them down to the footstools of the lowly. The pompous banker of the large European city is often, through his wares, dictator to the nobility in many more than business ways. Throughout almost the entire length and breadth of the commercial world, however, is a broad respectability, upon which the tradesmen, by virtue of their trade, are stationed. In Ireland the business people take to themselves a certain social standing, which is considered an attitude of the call.

In the Western portion of the United States, the merchant, and more especially the successful merchant, occupies socially an elevated perspective. In the effect of trade has become tabooed by the chosen elite, and if a man's grandfather had ever engaged in business the taint of the trade is still upon him. The individual whose capital is small, and whose inclination to work is capricious, is the peddler of Indianapolis that some attention is paid to him.

The peddler, if he is long at the work, owns some craft that must be recognized. In the first place, he has many who peddle against wind and tide—whose personal appearances and general dress are repulsive to strangers, and whose sales would indeed be small if they confined themselves to changing territory—and it is to these individuals the idea of getting acquainted with their possible customers occurs. Can any-



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body doubt the policy or craftiness of this turn? About 3 P. M. an old man with unkempt hair and a scowling face, a slouch hat, and a basket of fruit walks into the presence of the office man and meets with a cold reception. He is silent, and he sits on the floor, and he closes the door gently after him. The next day, at about the same hour, the door opens spontaneously and the same old man, with the same patient look in his corroded eyes, and the same fruit in his basket, reappears with a smiling face and a ready answer to the question of his business. He is not begging. He offers you a juicy return for your money. And before the busy man is aware of it, he is one of the apple peddler's regular customers. The apple peddler has a great many stairs to climb in a day to reach his customers, but he climbs them all in a reflective genius, always ready to smoke the butt of a discarded cigar, is conservative in his political views, and generally prone to be somewhat of a busy man. 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